

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Richard L. BOYD	Confirmation No.:	3277
Application No.:	10/749,118	Art Unit:	1633
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Title:	NORMALIZATION OF DEFECTIVE T CELL RESPONSIVENESS THROUGH MANIPULATION OF THYMIC REGENERATION		

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**AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.116**

Dear Sir/Madam:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Final Office Action dated September 10, 2008, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.